Longview at a Glance



Population

	1970	1980	1990	2000
City of Longview	45,547	62,762	70,311	73,344
Gregg County	72,929	99,487	104,948	111,379
Longview-Marshall MSA	120,573	152,996	193,801	208,780

Longview 2000 Statistics

Population by Age Group

Population by Race

Age	Total	Percent	Race	Total	Percent
1-9 years	10,867	14.9	White	48,028	65.4
10-19 years	11,171	15.3	Black	16,126	22.0
20-34 years	15,533	21.1	Hispanic	7,564	10.3
35-54 years	20,096	27.3	American Indian/Alaska Native	e 267	.4
55-64 years	5,916	8.1	Asian	606	.8
65-84 years	8,504	11.6	Native Hawaiian/Pac. Islander	12	.1
85 + years	1,257	1.7	Other	35	.1
-			Two or more Races	706	.9

Population by Sex

Median Age

Gender	Total	Percent
Male	35,347	48.2
Female	37,997	51.8

34.0 years

Housing

Household by Type

	Total	Percent
Total Households	28,363	100.0
Family Households (families)	19,109	67.4
With own children under 18 years	9,407	33.2
Married-Couple family	13,880	48.9
With own children under 18 years	6,239	22.0
Female householder, no husband present	4,119	14.5
With own children under 18	2,589	9.1
Nonfamily households	9,254	32.6
Householder living alone	7,919	27.9
Householder 65 years and over	3,043	10.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	10,449	37.0
Households with individuals 65 years and over	6,852	24.2
Average household size	2.50	
Average family size	3.06	

Housing Occupancy

	<u>Total</u>	Percent
Total Housing units	30,726	100.0
Occupied housing units	28,363	92.3
Vacant housing units	2,363	7.7
For seasonal, recreational, or	117	.4
occasional use		
Homeowner vacancy rate		2.0
Rental vacancy rate		10.1

Housing Tenure

	<u>Total</u>	Percent
Occupied housing units	28,363	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	16,530	58.3
Renter-occupied housing units	11,833	41.7
Average household size owner-occupied units	2.61	
Average household size	2.34	
Renter-occupied units		

Area Information

Incorporated area in square miles	52.8
Extraterritorial Jurisdiction Range	3.5 miles

Sales Tax

Entity	Percent
City of Longview	1.50
Gregg County	.50
State of Texas	6.25

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau; City of Longview Planning Department